

SCALBY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

Annual Report of the Medical Officer of Health
for the Year 1944.

To The Chairman and Members of the
Scalby Urban District Council.

Gentlemen,

I have pleasure in presenting my Annual Report for the
year 1944.

<u>BIRTHS.</u>	Total: 94	Males 54	Females 40
	Still births	-	1
	Illegitimate births	3	2

Birth rate: 18.2 per 1,000 population.
England & Wales 17.6

Infantile Mortality: 1 (F) death under 1 year.
Rate: 11 per 1,000 live births
England & Wales 4.6

<u>DEATHS.</u>	Total: 66	Males 32	Females 34
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Death rate: 12.8 per 1,000 population.
England & Wales 11.6

<u>Causes of Death.</u>	M.	F.
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	1	-
Syphillitic Diseases	1	-
Cancer, buc. cav. and oesoph (M), uterus (F)	1	-
Cancer, stomach and duodenum	-	2
Cancer, breast	-	2
Cancer, other sites	7	1
Intracranial vascular lesions	4	3
Heart disease	9	9
Bronchitis	1	1
Pneumonia	-	2
Ulcer of stomach or duodenum	2	-
Appendicitis	1	-
Other digestive diseases	-	1
Nephritis	1	2
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Suicide	-	1
All other causes	4	8
	32	34

INFECTIOUS
DISEASES

Scarlet fever 8
Whooping Cough 1
Mumps prevalent at the end of the year.
7 evacuees sent to the Sick Bay.

WATER SUPPLY.

The water supply is adequate and is obtained from Springs supplying the Scalby Ward & Borehole for the Newby West Ward. Both supplies are class one waters of good bacterial quality. The borehole supply contains iron in solution to the extent of 0.4 P.P.M. together with manganese 0.2 P.P.M. C.O₂ at 28 P.P.M. The iron and manganese have caused some trouble in the form of discoloration, and application has been made to instal suitable plant for its removal.

Farms at Cumboots, two dwelling houses in the same area and one house on Burniston Road are the only properties not connected to the Council's mains. One farm has its own water supply derived from springs.

I am,
Gentlemen,
Your obedient Servant,

R. G. Forman

M.B.E., M.B., Ch.B., J.P.
MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH.

21st September 1945.